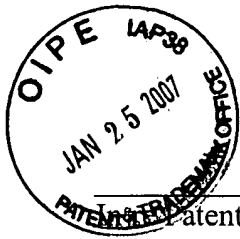


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**REQUEST FOR CORRECTED NOTIFICATION OF ACCEPTANCE**

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Attached hereto is the Notification of Acceptance in connection with the above-identified application.

**THE FOLLOWING CORRECTION(S) ARE RESPECTFULLY REQUESTED:**

DATE OF RECEIPT OF ALL 35 U.S.C. § 371 REQUIREMENTS:

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As evidence of Applicant's previous submission of all filing Requirements in connection with the present application, enclosed are copies of the Letter Submitting Additional Documents for Entering National Phase for a PCT Application, the Declaration and Power of Attorney, and the date-stamped postcard indicating receipt of the Declaration and Power of Attorney by the United States Patent and Trademark Office and payment of the appropriate fees by the Applicant.

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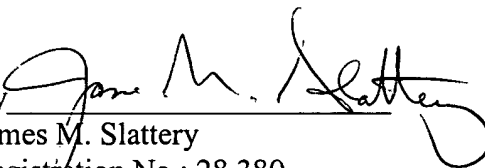
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It is respectfully requested that the United States Patent and Trademark Office forward a new Notification of Acceptance to the undersigned attorney showing the corrections.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

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The applicant is hereby advised that the United States Patent and Trademark Office in its capacity as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495), has determined that the above identified international application has met the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 371, and is ACCEPTED for national patentability examination in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

The United States Application Number assigned to the application is shown above and the relevant dates are:

<u>06/01/2006</u>	<u>06/04/2006</u>
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A Filing Receipt (PTO-103X) will be issued for the present application in due course. **THE DATE APPEARING ON THE FILING RECEIPT AS THE " FILING DATE" IS THE DATE ON WHICH THE LAST OF THE 35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(1), (c)(2) and (c)(4) REQUIREMENTS HAS BEEN RECEIVED IN THE OFFICE. THIS DATE IS SHOWN ABOVE.** The filing date of the above identified application is the international filing date of the international application (Article 11(3) and 35 U.S.C. 363). Once the Filing Receipt has been received, send all correspondence to the Group Art Unit designated thereon.

The following items have been received:

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